

tear months, being present at Mandalay when King Thibaw surrendered to our troops. Here I got a health break to give me life. At first I had a sickening feeling at the pit of the stomach, and was so dull and drowsy I could scarcely keep up. I had pain in the right side and under the shoulder blades. My spirits were depressed and everything seemed sad and melancholy. I couldn't eat, and lay in bed sleeping most of the time, but I had a will for lack of anything else. My skin and eyes turned yellow, as is so common with Europeans in India. My tongue was badly coated, feet cold and clammy, stomach sick and upset, vomiting and constant diarrhea. In this bad form I lay for four months in 1887.

By the time I got to England and a doctor of the Royal Government said I was suffering from dysentery. I was weak as a baby, and passed nothing but slimy from the bowels. No treatment availed to stop the diarrhea, which was fast draining the life out of me. Finally I was sent home, and arrived at Liverpool in Dec. 1887, having been in hospital until Feb., 1888. I had to give up my studies, and incurred, and placed in the Army Reserve.

I returned to Warboys, in Huntingdonshire (my home) and tried to work. But it was impossible. I was so emaciated that old acquaintances did not at first recognize me. Then they said to me, you needn't trouble to buy any more clothes, you only eat until you require what a week's box.

After eating, even a little, I was obliged to bury away from the table because of the terrible griping, gnawing pains in the stomach and bowels. My father and mother were alarmed and consulted a doctor at Warboys, but what he gave me had no effect.

At last it was Mr. Nicholl, the Chemist, of Warboys (now of Croydon) who told me, "Hold you had better try Mother Sige's Curative Syrup." On this I bought a bottle and used it, but I couldn't eat it did any good. Mr. Nicholl said, "I will try it again. I have such confidence in it that I will give you the same bottle free of charge."

He did so, and before I had taken the half of the second bottle I began to feel relief. This was encouraging, and I procured the third bottle. Before I had finished it I was much improved and was able to go back to work. But I was afraid to risk it again. Then I had to use three bottles more, for Mr. Nicholl's Curative Syrup did not for my last homecoming in India or England has done any good. It is healing me from the very depths where I was ill and dying.

So you may suppose, I left right along with Mr. Nicholl's Curative Syrup until the fifth bottle ran out. Then I had to go to the apothecary of Warboys as a lame, strong, and well as I was when I first entered the army. I had to pay my debts, and my comrades looked upon me as an outcast from the army.

With the full of wonder they asked, "What has been done for you?" and I answered, "I owe it all to Mr. Nicholl's Curative Syrup, and I am willing that everyone to letters of inquiry." —John Hodson, Warboys, Huntingdonshire.

Mr. Hodson's bad disease, an indigestion and dysentery, was due to a change of climate, food, and habits. This disease was one of his symptoms. Nature's effort to get rid of the poisonous matter in the stomach and bowels. Mother Sige's Curative Syrup cured the digestive malady, and the symptoms vanished as a necessary consequence. But our friend did not get the right and only remedy a day to soon.

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E. W. RUTTER,
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Hongkong, 12th March, 1891.

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F. DE BOVIS,
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